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Attorney Docket No. 12-0895

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## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/322,283 )  
 Filing Date: May 28, 1999 )  
 Inventor(s): David L. Rollins )  
 Group Art Unit: 2633 )  
 Examiner Name: Sedighian, Reza )  
 Customer No.: 27160 )  
 Title: LINEARIZED OPTICAL LINK )  
 USING A SINGLE )  
 MACH-ZEHNDER MODULATOR )  
 AND TWO OPTICAL CARRIERS )  
 Confirmation No. 7766 )

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the  
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Date

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

1. ( ) A Drawing Replacement Sheet including FIG. \_\_\_\_ is attached and incorporated by way of this Amendment.
2. **Fee for Claims**
- (X) No additional fee is required.

The fee for additional claims in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.16(b)-(d) has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid for		Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	8	Minus			x 9	0	x 18	--
Indep.	2	Minus			X 43	0	x 86	--
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims					+145	0	+290	--
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEES						0	OR	-----

3. **Method of Payment of Fees**

( ) Enclosed is our firm check in the amount of: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 50-1214.

4. (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1214. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-1214. This sheet is filed in duplicate.

Respectfully Submitted,

11-18-04  
(Date)

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